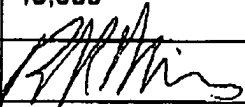


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)																
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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application to December 19, 2004 dated _____.																
The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):																
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<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ <input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 210765. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.																
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Name	Brian R. Harris															
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